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Substitute Senate Bill No. 944

Senate, April 14, 2011

The Committee on Government Administration and Elections reported through SEN. SLOSSBERG of the 14th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING COST SAVING MEASURES WITHIN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE STATE.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 2-27 of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2011*):

3 Copies of each bill for an act reported favorably by a committee
4 shall be printed in sufficient numbers, as determined by the clerks of
5 the House and Senate, for use by the General Assembly. A greater
6 number of copies of any bill shall be printed upon order of either
7 legislative commissioner. [Seven] Two copies of each printed bill shall
8 be reserved for the use of the Secretary of the State who shall [bind
9 and] distribute [volumes thereof as follows: One] one copy to the State
10 Library [, one to the law library of Yale University, one to the library of
11 The University of Connecticut] and one to the law library of The
12 University of Connecticut. [, one to the Wesleyan University library,
13 one to the Library of Congress and one to the library of Quinnipiac

14 College.]

15 Sec. 2. Section 51-274 of the general statutes is repealed and the
16 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

17 All special acts or provisions thereof inconsistent with this chapter
18 and with sections 1-1a, 2-5, 2-40, 2-61, [3-84,] 5-164, 5-189, 7-80, 8-12, 9-
19 63, 9-258, 9-368, 12-154, 14-141, 14-142, 18-65, 18-73, 19a-220, 21a-96, 29-
20 13, 29-362, 30-105, 30-107, 30-111, 35-22, 46b-120, 46b-133, 46b-160, 47a-
21 23, 47a-28, 47a-35, 47a-37, 49-61, 49-62, 51-6a, 51-9, 51-15, 51-27, 51-30,
22 51-33, 51-34, 51-36, 51-48, 51-49, 51-50, 51-51, 51-52, 51-59, 51-72, 51-73,
23 51-78, 51-95, 51-183b, 51-183d, 51-183f, 51-183g, 51-215a, 51-229, 51-232,
24 51-237 and 51-241, subsection (a) of section 51-243 and sections 51-247,
25 51-347, 52-45a, 52-45b, 52-46, 52-97, 52-112, 52-139, 52-193, 52-194, 52-
26 196, 52-209, 52-212, 52-215, 52-226, 52-240, 52-257, 52-258, 52-261, 52-
27 263, 52-268, 52-270, 52-278i, 52-293, 52-297, 52-298, 52-324, 52-351, 52-
28 397, 52-425, 52-427, 52-428, 52-521, 53-308, 53-328, 54-2a, 54-56f, 54-66,
29 54-72, 54-74, 54-82g, 54-82j, 54-82k, 54-95a, 54-96a, 54-96b, 54-97, 54-108,
30 54-154, 54-166 and 54-169 to 54-174, inclusive, are repealed.

31 Sec. 3. Sections 3-81 and 3-84 of the general statutes are repealed.
32 (*Effective from passage*)

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2011</i>	2-27
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	51-274
Sec. 3	<i>from passage</i>	Repealer section

GAE *Joint Favorable Subst.*

The following Fiscal Impact Statement and Bill Analysis are prepared for the benefit of the members of the General Assembly, solely for purposes of information, summarization and explanation and do not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either chamber thereof for any purpose. In general, fiscal impacts are based upon a variety of informational sources, including the analyst's professional knowledge. Whenever applicable, agency data is consulted as part of the analysis, however final products do not necessarily reflect an assessment from any specific department.

OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill conforms statute to current practice related to printing and distribution for the Office of Legislative Management (OLM) and the Secretary of the State (SOTS) and therefore has no fiscal impact to the state or municipalities.

The Out Years

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

OLR Bill Analysis**sSB 944*****AN ACT CONCERNING COST SAVING MEASURES WITHIN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE STATE.*****SUMMARY:**

This bill eliminates the requirement that the secretary of the state send a printed copy of all favorably reported bills to the Library of Congress; the UConn, Wesleyan University, and Quinnipiac University libraries; and Yale University's law library. It continues to require the secretary to send a printed copy to the State Library and UConn law library. The bill also reduces, from seven to two, the number of copies of each printed bill that the House and Senate clerks must reserve for the secretary's use.

The bill also eliminates requirements that the secretary (1) distribute to town and Superior Court clerks printed copies of each public act that takes effect upon passage and (2) immediately certify to the treasurer and comptroller the amount and purpose of each legislative appropriation.

EFFECTIVE DATE: Upon passage, except for the provisions concerning libraries, which are effective July 1, 2011.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Government Administration and Elections Committee

Joint Favorable Substitute

Yea 14 Nay 0 (03/30/2011)